### **JOB POSTING & JOB DESCRIPTION**

JOB TITLE: Laborer (35) - Collection System Field Crew and/or Pump Station Crew

SALARY: \$24.26 - 40.34 hour (SR: 41.57hr) (SR+: 43.63/hr)

**DEPARTMENT:** Utilities (Sewer Division)

<u>DEFINITION:</u> Under direction of foreman, primarily performs manual laboring duties relative to the maintenance and operation of the **sanitary sewerage collection system and pump stations**. May receive assignments on a daily, weekly, or routinely scheduled basis.

# **ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS PERFORMED:**

- Perform daily equipment inspection and maintenance duties, minor repairs of related equipment.
- Perform collection system repairs including cleanout installations, trench repairs, pipe line, manhole and manhole casting repairs or replacement.
- Operate all related equipment including motors, pumps, shafts, controls, engines, packing systems, piping seals, seal water systems, valves, meters, chemical feed systems, fuel systems, power hand tools, meter safety equipment, sampling equipment.
- Operate dewatering equipment.
- Assist with traffic control as directed.
- Perform pipe line mark out duties and meet with and advise the general public on line problems.
- Operate related equipment (i.e., pickup trucks, vans, tractors, mowers, etc. as assigned).
- Maintain records as required.

<u>ADDITIONAL EXAMPLES OF WORK:</u> May perform laboring tasks for other departments and divisions and/or other work as assigned.

# **EQUIPMENT USED/JOB LOCATION:**

- Must be able to operate confined space equipment (i.e. air packs, meters, safety harness, ropes, slings, hoist; sewerline cleaning and inspection equipment) as well as trucks and vans, light equipment (i.e. mowers, jackhammers, shovels, rakes, etc.).
- Power tools, Hand tools, Power Washers etc.
- Job sites are throughout the Township and in surrounding municipalities and include confined spaces.
- Indoor/outdoor duties regardless of weather.

#### **REQUIRED KNOWLEDGE AND ABILITIES:**

- Must have the ability to:
  - read, write, and understand English;
  - carry out oral and written directions:
  - perform physical work for long periods of time, sometimes under unfavorable weather and working conditions;
  - lift up to 50 pounds of weight manually;
  - freely climb ladders up to 20 feet high;
  - freely climb in and out of trenches;
  - not be impaired by claustrophobia or other maladies caused by confined working environments;
  - learn and follow all confined space safety requirements;
  - satisfactorily pass a six month probation period.
- Knowledge of methods and procedures of sewer utility operation preferred.
- All tasks require dexterity, visual and hearing acuity both for safety and performance.

## **QUALIFICATIONS:**

- Must be minimum of 18 years old, possess a high school diploma, or GED.
- Possess valid NJ Driver's License with good driving record.
- Ability to obtain NJ Class A Commercial Driver's License (CDL) upon request.
- Must be available for emergency call outs and overtime, as well as scheduled weekend and Holiday duties.
- Experience in related field preferred.
- Computer experience desired.
- Must successfully pass a six month probation period.

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